HOUSE RESOLUTION 283 By Jones U

A RESOLUTION to commend Khara Danese Carroll for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Khara Danese Carroll is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Representative Ulysses Jones; Khara's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a *magna cum laude* graduate of the University of Memphis, where she was highly regarded by her peers, Khara achieved academic success while majoring in Sociology and English, minoring in Spanish and Biology, and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Khara Carroll brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2006 session of the One Hundred Fourth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, born on August 16, 1978 in Memphis, Tennessee, Khara Carroll is the daughter of Ella J. Carroll; and

WHEREAS, Khara Carroll is deeply devoted to her family, and she enjoys the love and support of her grandmother, Adell Carroll Poole, and her aunts, Debby Carroll Taylor and Shewerna Carroll Jestice; and

WHEREAS, a dedicated public servant and community volunteer, Ms. Carroll has donated her time and many talents to numerous noteworthy organizations and activities; and

WHEREAS, devoted to the hallowed principles of democracy and liberty for all, Khara Carroll has worked diligently as a legislative intern to promote fairness and equity in the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2006 legislative session, Khara Carroll has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Carroll epitomizes the spirit of volunteerism and commitment to excellence that are characteristic of all true Tennesseans; and

WHEREAS, Khara Carroll has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Khara Danese Carroll for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Representative Ulysses Jones and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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